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DEQ facilities in affected area

BATON ROUGE – The Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality, along with the Louisiana State Police, surveyed refineries and chemical plants along the Mississippi corridor on Monday. These on-site visits were made using a helicopter.

The following is a list of sites visited and what was found at each one.

Nalco Chemical Plant near Garyville, St. John Parish. The facility was running at 100 percent and reported no releases.

Marathon Ashland Petroleum Refinery in St. John Parish. The plant was running at 75 percent and reported no releases.

Dupont Dow and E.I. Dupont in Laplace. There was no production at the plant and no spills were reported.

Occidental Chemical in Taft, St. Charles Parish. The plant was working at 40 percent capacity and reported no releases.

Dow Union Carbide in Taft. The plant was completely down and reported no releases.

Chemtura Chemical Plant in St. Charles Parish. The plant was completely down and reported no industries.

Valero Refining in Norco. The plant was completely down and there are no releases.

Motiva Refinery in Norco. The plant was shut down and reported no releases.

Stolthaven Tank Terminal in Plaquemines Parish. Inspectors were not able to land, but did not observe any releases.

Chevron Oronite, Oak Point Plant in Belle Chasse. The facility was completely shut down and reported no releases.

ConocoPhillips Alliance Refinery in Belle Chasse. The plant was completely shut down. There was a report of a propane release.

ExxonMobil Chalmette Refinery in Chalmette. The plant was shut down and reported no releases.

CII Carbon in Chalmette. The facility was completely shut down. The entrance was blocked by a train. No releases could be seen.

Murphy Oil in Meraux. The facility is completely shut down. There was a release of about 10-20,000 barrels of crude oil. The facility has already begun cleanup.

